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In re application of)
Shinji TAKEDA et al.) Atty. Docket No.: TM&K0007
Serial No. 09/785,436) Group Art Unit: 2813
Filed: February 20, 2001) Examiner: Scott Geyer
For: SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE AND)
PROCESS FOR FABRICATION) Date: April 4, 2003
THEREOF)

RESPONSE

BOX: NO FEE AMENDMENT
Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the official Action mailed March 26, 2003 indicating that the reply filed on January 7, 2003 is not fully responsive to the prior Office Action because only the first page of Amendment (E) was received by the Office.

Applicants hereby file additional copies of papers filed on January 3, 2003 in response to the Office Action of October 4, 2002, including the returned receipt postcard stamped by the Office and a copy of check number 2059 (which as been cashed).

Accordingly, Applicants believe that the current response places the application in in condition for allowance and a prompt Notice of Allowance is earnestly solicited.

Serial No. 09/785,436

Questions are welcomed by the below signed attorney for the Applicants.

Respectfully submitted,

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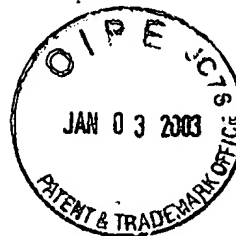
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This card, when stamped with the date stamp of the U. S. Patent and Trademark Office, acknowledges receipt of the following papers relating to patent application serial No. 09/785,436 of Shinji TAKEDA et al. filed February 20, 2001:

Amendment (E)
Proposed Drawing Changes with one (1) sheet of drawings
Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement;
Form PTO/SB/08A with 68 refs.; and
Check No. 2059 for \$180.00.



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